MINUTES OF MARCH 26th, 1920.

The Board of Public Works met at the office of the Governor at 4 o'clock, P. M., on Friday, March the twenty-sixth.

Present:-

Albert C. Ritchie, Governor, E. Brooke Lee, Comptroller, John M. Dennis, Treasurer.

In accordance with the authority conferred by Chapter 72, of the Acts of 1920, the Board considered the proposed sale of the property occupied by the <u>Maryland Industrial Training School</u> for Girls at 1600 N. Carey Street, <u>Baltimore</u>.

Letters were read by the Secretary from W. E. Ferguson, who valued the property in fee at \$100,000.00, and from Charles H. Steffey, Incorporated, who valued the property in fee at \$105,000.00. - The Board then concluded to accept the bid made by Fred. W. Kahl to purchase the property in fee simple for the sum of \$110,000.00, and accept his check for \$5,000.00, which accompanied the bid, and which is to be credited upon the purchase price. - The Secretary was directed to notify Mr. Kahl of the acceptance of his bid, and to request the Attorney General to have a proper conveyance made.

A letter from the Conservation Commission dated February 25th, in regard to the insurance of \$35,000.00 collected from insurance companies for the damage by fire to the Steamer McLane, was read.

In the Secretary was directed to notify the Conservation Commission and State Treasurer to create a special fund out of which repairs to the Steamer McLane should be paid.

The Secretary was directed to approve the bill for <u>rent</u> in the Calvert Building, Baltimore, Maryland, for offices occupied by the Maryland State Board of Forestry. The total amount from January 24th to March 31st being \$225.81.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Secretary of the Board.

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